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A FOUR-YEAR PROGRAM FOR PHILADELPHIA... Think on which the people expect the new administration to concentrate its attention...

THE WALL STREET HORROR

AT THIS writing it seems best to hope that yesterday's tragedy in New York was accidental. There is evidence to indicate that it belongs in the category of disasters traceable to a reckless habit with explosives which became general in the war...

The peculiar place which Wall Street has in the mythology of the radical world will cause a great many people to view the explosion as a deliberate act of terrorism. Such views should be accepted only after the most careful investigation...

THE HAT

WHILE it may be said that the world isn't getting along toward better days even if it has to progress through dust and blood and noise...

A FIGUREHEAD RETIRES

GEORGES CLEMENCEAU renounces any further presidential inclinations with the characteristic remark that tiger hunting in India is "the danger of the French politics"...

ties will not be greatly changed by the result. Doubtless, however, more than ordinary consideration of the health of the newswoman will be registered.

TEACHERS' PAY "VICTORY" IS FAINT LIGHT IN A MUDGLE

Comprehensive and Generous Reform Is Needed to Render the Public-School System Worthy of This City

THE school has failed again. The underpaid employes of the Board of Education are to receive some small monetary aid.

THE GOVERNOR SPEAKS

AN AUTHORITATIVE voice was needed to dispel some of the confusion created by those who seem eager to forget all plans for a Camden bridge for the remoter vision admirably into the empty air...

THE MIRROR

IF YOU were in Russia, able to read the printed lingo of the Bolsheviks, or in Italy looking for news in journals dedicated to the sort of radicalism which survives by putting an ugly face on everything opposed to it...

THE HOUSE OF PAIN

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At that juncture the citizens' committee reiterated its promise to buy the remainder of the bonds, with the condition that the board promise to distribute a flat bonus of \$200.

A NEW EDITOR

Morris L. Cooke in a New Role—An Unusual Publication—Judge Garber and His Vision of the Future

DR. CLYDE L. KING, of the University of Pennsylvania, is editor of The Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science.

QUAKERS AND THE LEAGUE

OPPOSITION to the international conference of Friends in London to the League of Nations in its present form, reported by Dr. William I. Hull, of Swarthmore, who was a participant in the sessions of the conference, should be interesting to Philadelphia.

THE REV. CARL E. GRAMMER

ON PROHIBITION ENFORCEMENT UNQUALIFIED and strict enforcement of the prohibition amendment is the only sane and proper course of procedure on the part of the American people...

JUDGE JOHN M. GARMAN

THE judge is a good deal like Charlie Chaplin. He is permitted to do so, and he uses the power and the mechanisms of a League of Nations for their own particular purposes.

GAINS ALREADY SECURED

IT was to be expected that abuses of this kind would occur. This bootlegging and drinking are to be regretted, but we must not allow these evils to hide from us the record of their gains already secured.

WHAT DO YOU KNOW?

- QUIZ 1. How is the president of France elected? 2. How far is the moon from the earth? 3. What great river is known as "China's Sorrows"?

ANSWERS TO YESTERDAY'S QUIZ

- 1. Therapy is that part of medical science which treats of the discovery and application of remedies for diseases. 2. The Banat is a district in southeast Hungary...

That is, when he does not sink his personal position and, descending from the tripod, surrender his prerogatives to some one else.

CAPTAIN OF INDUSTRY

"CAPTAIN OF INDUSTRY" is a title that has served its day and purpose. It is as dead as day before yesterday's newspaper and the headlines of its day.

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NOW MY IDEA IS THIS!

Daily Talks With Thinking Philadelphians on Subjects They Know Best

SHORT CUTS

- Happily the wheels of justice have not yet turned into galloping dice. Mrs. Mallory appears to be as good a tennis player as Miss Molla Bjurstedt. Italy is much as any other country in the world knows that troubles never come singly.